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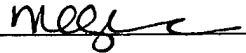
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OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

This **Response to Office Action** is filed in response to the Office Action mailed October 14, 2005, rejecting claims 1-41. The cited references are U.S. Patents Nos. 5,153,900 to Nomikos, 4,694,480 to Skillicorn, 4,979,198 to Malcolm, 5,927,482 to Davies, 3,643,094 to Courtois, and 6,494,618 to Moulton, British Patent Publication No. 2,007,480 by Aitken, and Japanese Patent Publication No. 05-031740 by Tomita. The following amendments and remarks remove all grounds for rejection of the application, thereby placing it in condition for allowance.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are described beginning on page 10 of this paper, and include attached replacement sheets.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.

An **Appendix** is attached following page 16 of this paper.